# Mountain Weather Forecast

## North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Monday 26 Aug 2024 until 23:59 on Tuesday 27 Aug 2024

Forecast Issued on Sunday 25 Aug 2024 at 14:05 by Met Office Aberdeen

**Confidence:** High confidence at first, low for detail of rainfall on Tuesday and overall confidence falling on Wednesday.

**Headline for Monday 26 Aug 2024:** Sunny spells with a few light morning showers on Monday. Rain arriving late evening with increasing winds.

**Mountain weather hazards on Monday 26 Aug 2024**

**Blizzards**
No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent snow**
No Likelihood

**Storm force winds**
No Likelihood

**Gales**
No Likelihood

**Severe chill effect**
Low Likelihood

**Poor visibility**
No Likelihood

**Thunderstorms**
No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent rain**
No Likelihood

**Strong sunlight**
Medium Likelihood

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m** | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | | | |
| 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| | | | | | | | |
| Partly cloudy (night) | Partly cloudy (night) | Sunny intervals | Sunny intervals | Sunny intervals | Sunny intervals | Sunny intervals | Cloudy |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | | | |
| 10% | 10% | 20% | 10% | 10% | 20% | 20% | 30% |

**Forecast for Monday 26 Aug 2024**

**Weather:** Clear spells and the odd light shower during the overnight period. Mainly dry with sunny spells throughout the day, perhaps a few light showers. Clouding over from the southwest during the evening with rain following behind by midnight.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 90%, 70% by late evening

**Low cloud and visibility:** Few cloud base 700-900m in association with early showers, scattered with rain late evening. Visibility generally good, temporary reductions in showers or rain.

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**Forecast for Monday 26 Aug 2024**

| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) | | | | | Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1300** | 25/33 W | 26/36 W | 25/33 W | 22/29 W | 19/26 SW | 18/27 SW | 18/25 SW | 25/33 S | 32/44 S |
| **900** | 22/28 SW | 23/29 SW | 21/28 SW | 19/26 SW | 17/25 SW | 17/24 SW | 17/23 SW | 24/31 S | 33/44 S |
| **600** | 15/21 SW | 14/21 SW | 14/21 SW | 16/22 SW | 15/22 SW | 13/21 SW | 11/17 SW | 13/20 S | 21/32 S |
| **300** | 6/17 SW | 7/18 SW | 6/18 SW | 10/21 SW | 11/22 SW | 10/20 SW | 6/12 SW | 6/14 S | 9/20 S |
| **Glen** | 3/14 SW | 2/15 SW | 3/16 SW | 4/16 SW | 6/17 SW | 5/17 SW | 3/12 SW | 2/12 S | 4/19 S |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1300** | 3/-4 | 2/-4 | 2/-5 | 2/-4 | 5/-0 | 6/1 | 5/1 | 5/-0 | 5/-1 |
| **900** | 6/0 | 5/-0 | 5/-0 | 5/1 | 8/4 | 9/5 | 8/5 | 8/4 | 8/4 |
| **600** | 8/4 | 7/4 | 7/4 | 8/5 | 10/8 | 12/9 | 11/9 | 10/8 | 10/7 |
| **300** | 9/7 | 8/6 | 8/6 | 11/9 | 13/11 | 14/12 | 14/13 | 12/11 | 12/11 |
| **Glen** | 9/8 | 8/8 | 8/7 | 12/11 | 14/12 | 16/14 | 14/14 | 13/12 | 12/11 |
| **Freezing Level*** | 1700m | 1600m | 1600m | 1600m | 1700m | 2000m | 2200m | 2800m | 3000m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View**
Feeling cold at height, be prepared with appropriate layers.

**Forecast for Tuesday 27 Aug 2024**
**Weather:** Heavy rain feeding east or northeast overnight into Tuesday, continuing for the first part of the morning before easing. Patchy light rain into the afternoon, mainly dry by late afternoon with some late sunny spells.

**Maximum wind:** South to southwest 20-25 mph gusting 40-50 mph, easing by late afternoon

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 30-40%, improving 80% by mid-afternoon

**Low cloud and visibility:** Scattered or broken cloud base 500-700m, clearing around mid-afternoon. Visibility moderate or poor in heavy rain, improving during the morning.

**Temperature:** **Glens:** Plus 12 rising to plus 17 Celsius
**At 800m:** Plus 8 rising to plus 10 Celsius
**Freezing level:** Above summits

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